

The Homer Fitts Co.

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"The Store Where Quality Counts"

A January Clean-Up

— of —

Wool, Silk and Cotton Dress Fabrics

These are goods of standard character, novelties, plain colors, combinations of wool, silk and cotton. As inventory draws near, we are confronted with the seasonable necessity of reducing stocks and clearing away all short pieces. You cannot buy better than in this clearance of fine dress fabrics.

- 42-INCH COLORED SERGES—Regular price, \$1.25; Clearance Price79c
- 40-INCH NOVELTY WOOL STRIPE—Regular price, \$1.25; Clearance Price89c
- 36-INCH COTTON GABARDINE—Regular price, 98c; Clearance Price69c
- 32-INCH SILK FINISH FOULARD—Regular price, 79c; Clearance Price49c
- 40-INCH CREPE DE CHINE—Regular price, \$1.75; Clearance Price\$1.39
- 36-INCH MERCERIZED REPP AND POPLIN—Regular price, 69c; Clearance Price49c
- 32-INCH COTTON FOULARD—Regular Price, 59c; Clearance Price39c
- 34-INCH STRIPED FLANNEL WAISTING—Regular Price, 45c; Clearance Price35c
- 32-INCH PLAID AND STRIPED GINGHAM—Regular price, 35c; Clearance Price29c
- 36-INCH LIGHT AND DARK PERCALE—Regular price, 35c; Clearance Price29c

39c Cretonne at 19c a yard

One hundred twenty-five yards in the lot. Floral patterns, suitable for draperies and upholstering shirtwaist and utility boxes; 36 inches wide.

The Woman's Ready-to-Wear Shop



LaResista Corsets

The patented, break-proof, woven-wire boning used in the sides is flexible and resilient as the body itself.

It gives wonderful grace and ease to the appearance of the wearer. Be fitted to the model for your figure.

Prices range from \$1.00 to \$6.50. Brassieres in different models to select from, 50c to \$1.50.

Mrs. Shepard Co., Inc.

CAFE SHEPARD DOWNSTAIRS

Men's High Cut Shoes!

Our experience in the shoe business has taught us just what sort of good shoes to provide for workmen!

We sell with every pair of shoes satisfaction that causes them to tie to us. We have a big stock of High Cuts that we are making you a special discount of 25 cents on the dollar for this week. Take a look at them!

Peoples' Shoe Store

C. S. ANDREWS, Prop.

187 North Main Street, Currier Block Barre, Vt.

Underwear!

This weather calls for good UNDERWEAR.

We still sell the old, reliable MUNSUNG UNION SUITS, \$2.00 to \$5.00.

TWO-PIECE UNDERWEAR, all grades from \$1.00 to \$5.00 the garment.

LET US SHOW YOU.

The Frank McWhorter Co.

BARRE DAILY TIMES

WEDNESDAY, JANUARY 15, 1919.

The Weather.

Fair to-night and Thursday, colder to-night; fresh northwest and west winds.

TALK OF THE TOWN.

Watch for Shea's big shoe ad.—adv.

Charles Hawes was in Waterbury on business to-day.

Miss Viola Lascor is detained at her home by illness.

Carroll Gosling of Lanesboro was in the city yesterday on business.

J. H. Houston of Northfield was in the city on a business visit to-day.

Mother's day Friday at the Bijou; Ruth Clifford in "Mother of Mine"—adv.

P. G. Lamson of Boston has been in this city on business for the last few days.

Willis Venable of Manchester, N. H., has been in this city on business for a few days.

Rev. Fr. Joseph Turcot of Graniteville left this morning to begin duties at a church in Winoski.

Mrs. O. E. Scott of Waterbury has been visiting her sister, Mrs. E. M. Scott, for a day or two.

Residence burglary, theft and larceny insurance. McAllister & Kent, Phone 415 for rates.—adv.

Mrs. Beulah Russell of Waterbury passed a brief visit with Mrs. Frank Perry of Academy street recently.

Dance, armory hall, Montpelier, Thursday, Jan. 16. Music, Landi-Forsell orchestra. Admission 75c, ladies free.

Pvt. James Parker, who is stationed at Camp Dix, N. J., is enjoying a short furlough at his home on South Main street.

George Andrews of Pittsburg, Pa., has returned to his home after spending a long visit with relatives and friends in this city.

State Inspector of High Schools E. S. Abbott of Rutland has been in Barre two days, during which he inspected Spaulding high school.

Miss Nellie Brown resumed her duties at the Homer Fitts company store yesterday after an illness of two weeks at her home on Cliff street.

Grover Caven, who for the past two years has been employed by the Winchester Arms company at New Haven, Conn., arrived in Barre yesterday.

Twenty local members of the Elks journeyed to Montpelier last night to attend a meeting and initiation of lodge 124 of that city.

Antonio Vitagliano and Henry Diversi arrived yesterday from Concord, N. H., and expect to be in the city for several days, transacting business in the interest of their fruit store in Concord.

The case of a boy, who is charged with stealing horse blankets, which was to be brought up in juvenile court this morning, was postponed because of Judge H. W. Scott's absence, he having been called to Montpelier.

Born in Northfield, Jan. 20, a daughter, Jane, to Capt. and Mrs. C. N. Barber.

Mrs. Barber is with her sister, Mrs. W. B. Mayo, while Capt. Barber is with his regiment in France, where he has lately been appointed assistant adjutant in a large debarcation camp.

The fire department answered a still alarm last evening at 6 o'clock when people living in the vicinity of Ross & Ralph's storehouse became alarmed at seeing a blaze within the shed.

The men, upon investigation, found some wood which had been placed near the stove situated in the center of the shed was burning. No damage was done.

Merlo's academy defeated the Combination Five in a bowling match at Murphy and Weller's bowling alleys last evening, by a margin of 18 pins. The pinfall was as follows: Merlo's academy—Colombo 82, Casani 84, Goldoli 88, Attomi 92, total 346; Combination Five—Ross, Hainall 71, Lowe 85, Shannon 77, total 323.

The Combination Five basketball team will play Goddard first team at the Goddard gymnasium Thursday evening. The manager of the Combination Five is looking forward to a fast game. He extends a challenge to any team in the state consisting of amateur players, or any high school team. The team is still under the same management, Charles Haisall and Captain W. Ross.

The ladies' aid society of St. Monica's church held their annual election of officers last evening at the convent on summer street. A musical program was given by members of the society, after which refreshments were served.

The following officers were elected: Mrs. F. C. Whitmore, president; Mrs. Weston Walker, vice-president; Mrs. A. H. Burks, secretary; Mrs. Elizabeth Bugbee, treasurer.

Among those stopping at Hotel Barre last evening were the following people: C. G. Bills, Boston; A. D. Paige, Lyndonville; E. S. Abbott, Rutland; H. W. Walking, Boston; J. M. Ingram, Springfield, Mass.; P. M. Dearing, Northfield; C. B. Metcalf, Burlington; Frank H. Nuell, Pittsburg, Mass.; L. E. Frishour, Springfield, Mass.; G. A. Severance, Boston; H. B. Larock, Burlington; S. Coxie, Burlington; A. L. Duke, Manchester, N. H.; T. B. Hewson, Providence, R. I.; C. G. Gaudy, Boston; J. P. Kimball, Boston; Willis Venable, Manchester, N. H.; C. A. Adams, Portland, Me.; L. Jacobs, Boston; H. W. Hobbs, Boston; J. N. Abair, Boston; F. S. Williams, Bradford; R. K. Swift, Boston; P. G. Lamson, Boston.

Alex. A. Milne, president, and Athol R. Bell, secretary, of the Granite Manufacturers' association, left the city yesterday afternoon for Lansing, Mich., where they are to represent the Barre granite district at the annual convention of the Michigan State Retailers' association.

On an itinerary that may include state retail conventions in South Bend, Ind., Chicago, Ill., Milwaukee, Wis., Harrisburg, Pa., Trenton, N. J., Schenectady, N. Y., and Cincinnati, O., they are to be joined by John C. Bora, president of the Quakers & Manufacturers' association, and Atty. S. Hollister Jackson. It is also expected that Harold P. Hinman, sales manager for Boutwell, Milne & Varnum, will attend most of the conventions.

Card of Thanks.

We wish to thank our many friends for their sympathy and kindness during our recent bereavement; also for the beautiful floral tributes.

Thomas G. Venner and family.

Meeting of Degree of Pocahontas Thursday evening, Jan. 16 at 7 o'clock.

Degree team please meet at 6.

EAST BARRE

Regular meeting of W. chosen tribe, No. 19, I. O. R. M., on Thursday evening at 7. Raising of chiefs and working of warriers degree. Members and candidates are urged to be present.

TALK OF THE TOWN

Marie Walcamp in "Tongues of Flame" and "Hands Up," Bijou to-day.—adv.

Mr. and Mrs. Stephen Rizzi of North Main street started to-day on a journey to Washington, D. C.

Rufus W. Robinson of Academy street is passing a few days with friends in White River Junction.

South Barre grange will hold a young and old folks' dance Thursday night, Jan. 16. Gilbertson's orchestra.—adv.

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Miss Rose Tomas returned to-day to Smith college at Northampton, Mass., having been called here by the death of her brother, Louis.

Miss Celia Hendrickson, who recently graduated as a nurse at the Randolph sanatorium, left to-day for Hartford, Conn., where she will continue her practice.

Firemen, together with employees of the water department, flooded the rink at the trotting park yesterday, but owing to the warm weather of last night the rink is not in a condition to be used to-day.

There is another rink at Lincoln school which is in excellent condition and was used to its full capacity last evening.

A rumor became current on the street to-day that the difficulties in the granite industry at Quincy, Mass., had been settled and that work was to be resumed; but an inquiry at the office of the Barre Granite Manufacturers' association elicited the information that a report from Quincy received this morning stated that the conditions were unchanged.

Many Barre people attended the funeral of James Hols at Northfield to-day. He was a resident of this city until about a year ago, at which time he left for Springfield, Mass., to work in the machine shops. His death was the result of an operation for appendicitis in Springfield. Those who left on the morning train for Northfield were Mr. and Mrs. Elmer Clark, Mr. and Mrs. George Penn, Mrs. B. S. Cyr and Rev. Edgar Crossland, who officiated at the funeral services.

MONTPELIER

Board of Trade Reported a Successful Year; Election Held.

The annual meeting of the Montpelier Board of Trade took place Tuesday evening in the city council chambers with a large attendance of the members. It was the best attended annual meeting of recent years. The following directors were elected: G. E. Almon, H. J. Volholm, B. A. Sumner, William McKee, G. O. Boyles, Harris Yett and A. Bonazzi.

The directors elected the following officers: President, Mr. Almon; vice-president, Mr. Volholm; secretary and treasurer, J. H. Gledway, who will be paid a small salary this year. The secretary's report showed an increase of 16 members, only three resignations during the year and one death, A. J. Sibley. It also showed that one new industry has been obtained and that they have three under consideration, one of which will be brought to Montpelier if the present plans are completed.

Trouble chasers of the New England Telephone company and the cablemen are having a lot of work to remove the conditions in the marshes at the corner of Main and State streets in Montpelier. Water ran into the marshes, resulting in some 200 lines in the cable freezing, which placed as many telephones out of working order. A cableman from Worcester, Mass., came here to help in putting the lines back in working order.

But little was done in Washington county court Tuesday. In the afternoon the court went to Guernsey avenue to look over the grounds of the proposed street which H. C. Boies wants laid and which the city of Montpelier is opposing.

Mrs. F. V. Johnson, wife of Mr. Johnson of Somerset, was taken to Hoston hospital yesterday afternoon, threatened with pneumonia.

Mrs. Clark Roberts, who was operated upon for removal of a tumor, is doing well. She is well advanced in age. Mr. Roberts this morning stated that the tumor weighed a little over 100 pounds.

Miss Lina Jerd is not recovering from her broken ankle as well as her family would like to have her. The ankle had to be rebroken because the bone did not right the first time which will delay her recovery a good deal.

The funeral of Mrs. Willis O. Chapman, who died Tuesday forenoon, will take place from her late home Thursday afternoon. Mrs. Chapman, who was a native of Moretown, and daughter of the late Mr. and Mrs. Austin Prentiss, had been very prominent for many years in Trinity church work. She leaves her husband and two brothers, Dr. R. G. Prentiss of Johnson and Dr. R. W. Prentiss of Middlebury.

Mr. and Mrs. Bernard McGuire celebrated their 50th anniversary last Sunday at their home on Hill street. They were married in Syvestre, P. Q. They have one daughter, Mrs. Andrews, living in Springfield, who was with them. Among the gifts was a purse of gold from Mark Andrews, their grandson.

Mrs. Miles Roby, who has been here for two weeks caring for Mrs. Mary Nichols, her mother, who has been very ill, will leave this evening for her home in St. Albans.

J. B. Estee went to Burlington last evening. He spoke at the dairymen's association meeting.

James Connor, conductor on the Central Vermont railway, was in charge of a crew Tuesday that was using a large derrick picking up some granite blocks that had slipped from freight cars on the line between Barre and Montpelier.

The annual meeting of the American Fidelity company took place Tuesday afternoon when the following directors were elected: Charles H. Darling, Burlington; B. B. Bailey, L. D. Taft, G. L. Blanchard, Henry L. Farwell and R. B. Denny of Montpelier, C. J. Gleason and Cecil Platt of New York City. The directors elected the following officers: President, Mr. Darling; vice-president, Mr. Bailey; secretary and treasurer, Mr. Denny. The report of the board showed a good Vermont business and there was at the end of the year a surplus amounting to \$90,841.39.

L. A. Col. W. J. Goodwin of Burlington, who was mentioned in yesterday's casualty list as wounded, had been previously reported to his wife and two children, who live in that city, as wounded on Sept. 29. He was second in command of the 50th infantry, in which several Vermont boys went after the recruiting drive in the state last February. Leo Des Laurier, who was mentioned as having returned to his company, was a short time ago reported missing and then wounded and finally, the day of the latter report, he arrived in St. Albans, according to the press reports at that time.

Two sessions of the judicial court were held at Montpelier at one time this morning. They were the Barre city court, which was trying a civil suit, and

Union Dry Goods Company

BIG REDUCTIONS THIS WEEK ON ALL

Ready-to-Wear Garments

Every garment must be sold, as we carry nothing from one season to another. You will find here extraordinary values in smart, stylish Coats, pretty Dresses, fine Tailored Suits, Woolen Dress Skirts, etc.

Coats

at radical reductions. Don't miss this Clearance Sale of Coats, for the values are exceptional. Warm, serviceable garments at the very minimum of cost.

Priced at \$14.75, \$21.50, 24.75, \$29.75

TAILORED SUITS—All-Wool Tailored Suits in Fine Serges, Wool Poplin and Mixtures, in this clearance sale at One-Third Off the Regular Prices

DRESS SKIRTS—All-Wool Poplin and Serge Skirts, also very pretty styles in Silk Skirts in this sale at 20 per cent discount

Furs

All Fur Pieces in stock are to be closed out at 25 per cent off

Dresses

Attractive and pretty styles in Ladies' and Misses' Serge and Satin Dresses. These are the season's newest and best styles.

Priced at \$11.75, \$14.50, \$16.75 Regular prices, \$17.50 to \$25.00.

Sweaters

Ladies' and Children's Sweaters at 20 per cent off

Outing Robes at 20 per cent off

THE UNION DRY GOODS COMPANY

— The —

Great Victory Clothing Sale

at the Union Clothing Company Is In Full Swing

Be sure to attend and get your share of the bargains

Union Clothing Co.

The Big, Busy Union Store

Depot Square



MATINEE.....2:15 and 3:15
EVENING.....6:45 and 8:30
TELEPHONE 613-W

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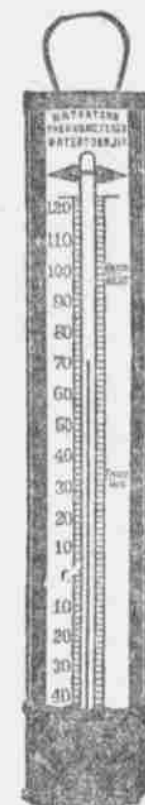
AND THURSDAY, D. W. GRIFFITHS PRESENTS

"The Great Love"

with practically the same cast that you saw in "The Birth of a Nation" and "Hearts of the World," including LILLIAN GISH, GEORGE FAWCETT, ROBERT HARRON, GEORGE SEIGMANN, HENRY WALTHALL, MAXFIELD STANLEY, ROSEMARY THEBY, GLORIA HOPPE.

This is the greatest attraction since the "Hearts of the World," and our patrons are requested to attend the matinee to secure seats. Shown at the Strand Theatre, N. Y., to record-breaking crowds for an extended run. Every large city has done capacity business with this play, and every critic has pronounced it perfect.

Special prices for these two days: Matinee, all seats, 15c; Evening, balcony 15c, orchestra 25c; children all shows, 11c; 10 per cent war tax included in above prices. NO SEATS RESERVED. Matinees at 2:15. Patrons arriving before 3:15 will see the entire show. Evenings at 6:45 and 8:30. We want you to see this production Wednesday, for we know you will tell all your friends not to miss it Thursday. Come Wednesday or Thursday, anyway. A \$1.00 production at our special prices.



An Accurate Thermometer is a good thing to own.

We have them and our prices are reasonable.

C. K. Averill & Co.
THE DEPENDABLE STORE